Company	Executive	Monthly Rated	Daily Rated	Piece Rated	Casual	Badli	Company Trainee	Others
			March, 1994					
ECL	3511	28272	89007	50105	85	210	537	..
BCCL . . .	3637	25838	72084	54028	51	665	172	101
CCL . . .	3263	17929	48522	24342	617	..	1003	..
SECL . . .	2795	14188	65897	13742	571	295	35	:
WCL . . .	2305	12691	51832	17061	263	370	63	..
NCL . . .	1212	3486	11467	..	..	..	..	..
NEC	152	774	3726	446	..	..	..	..
MCL . . .	954	3599	13626	3366	..	513	2	..
CMPDIL . . .	1180	1859	1118	..	23		..	..
DCC . . .	82	459	155	..	..	..	..	..
CIL (HQ) . . .	430	1145	63	..	..	..	..	..
CIL AS A WHOLE .	19521	110240	357517	163090	1610	2053	1812	101

Jobs in Neyveli Lignite Corporation to those whose land has been acquired

7336. SHRI S. VID UTHALAI VIRUMBI : Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the administration of Neyveli Lignite Corporation and Kalpakkam Power Plant in Tamil Nadu had assured the people, who had handed over the land for the project, that the above mentioned Corporation would provide job to one member of each family of the said category of persons;

(b) what are the reasons for delay in the implementation of that assurance; and

(c) whether Government would take necessary action to fulfil the promise ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA) : (a) to (c) No assurance has been given either by the administration of Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd. (NLC) or by the administration of Kalpakkam Power Plant to provide job to one member of each family whose land has been acquired by them. The reasons for delay and the necessity for any action by the Government, therefore do not arise.

As per the norms of NLC's scheme for rehabilitation of land oustees, four categories of persons, eligible for employment in order of priority are :—

(i) whose house/s have been acquired with house site/s (pr ority I).

(ii) whose entire agricultural lands have been acquired along w th house and house site (priority II).

(iii) whose entire agr cu'tural lands have been acquired (priority III).

(iv) whose agricultural lands have been partly acquired (priority IV).

Within the above priorities, the date of award determines the inter-se priority of the applicants.

Release of gratuity and P.F. by B.C.C.L.

7337. SHRI GAYA SINGH : Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have any data of such labours working in B.C.C.L. who have not yet received their gratuity and P.F. after their retirement;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. For reasons stated hereinafter.1862 retired workers of BCCL are yet to receive full settlement of gratuity as on 9-5-94. Provident fund claims in respect of 162 workers who have retired from BCCL are pending settlements as on 31-5-94.

(c) The gratuity payments have been delayed mainly due to pendency of vigilance enquiry/disciplinary action, disputes relating to quantum of gratuity entitlement, non-submission in time of application by the claimants or their nominees and non-payment of company dues.

The reason for delay in settlement of provident fund dues include furnishing of inadequate and incomplete personal data, missing credits for certain periods and non-reconciliation with suspense accounts.

Unexploited Coal reserves

7338. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that 17,212 million tonnes of coal is locked in underground mines.

(b) if so, what is the planning of the coal industry to develop these reserves in Eighth and Ninth Five Year Plans;

(c) whether it is also a fact that if these reserves are not developed either in Eighth or Ninth Five Year Plans heavy capital cost will make the exploitation of the said underground coal reserves uneconomical; and

(d) if so, what will happen to these reserves of coal which will remain unexploited?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA): (a) No, Sir. Out of total gross coal reserves of 193777.13 million tonnes (as on 1-1-1993), the proved reserves of Gondwana Coals were 64595 million tonnes, out of which 17212 million tonnes were estimated to be exploitable by underground mining.

(b) Out of 303 million tonnes of projected coal production at the end of Eighth Five Year Plan, 80.91 million tonnes is planned from underground mines of Coal India Limited and Singareni Collieries Company Limited. The indications for the terminal year of the Ninth Five Year Plan to be firmed up later are 105 million tonnes from underground mines of Coal India Limited and Singareni Collieries Company Limited.

(c) and (d) Exploitation of these reserves has been taken up as per the production programme approved by the Planning Commission and the investments have been provided accordingly for the Eighth Five Year Plan period.